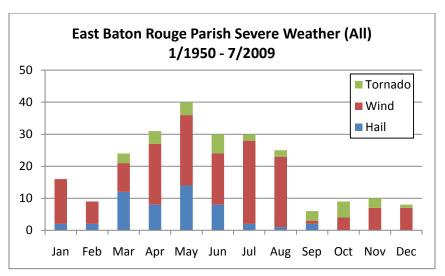
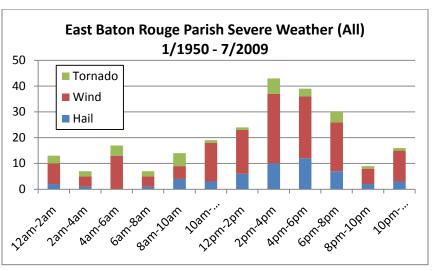
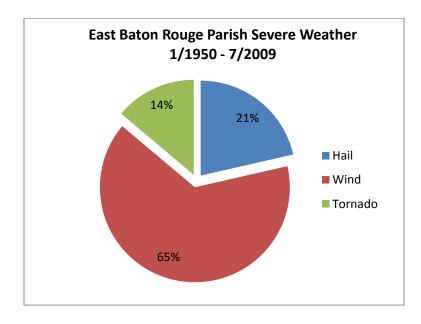
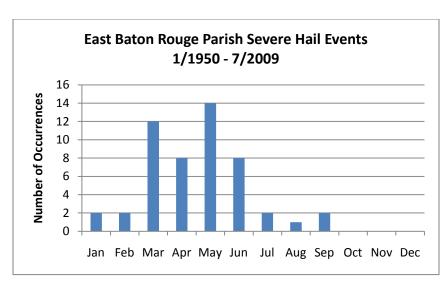
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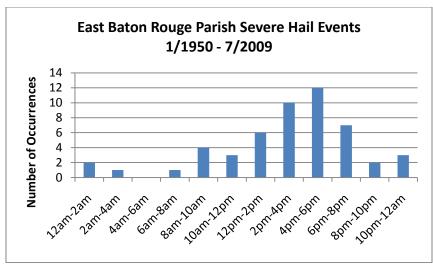


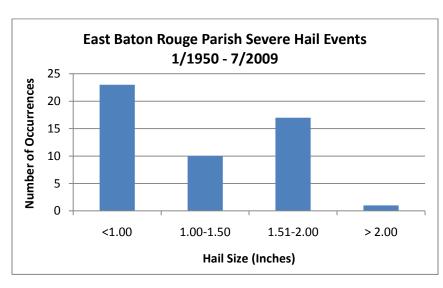




Total number of severe events in database:	238
Number of deaths due to severe weather:	1
Number of deaths due to tornado events:	1
Number of deaths due to wind events:	0
Number of deaths due to hail events:	0
Largest number of deaths due to one event:	1
(F1 tornado 6/7/2001)	
Number of injuries due to severe weather:	100
Number of injuries due to tornado events:	69
Number of injuries due to wind events:	31
Number of injuries due to hail events:	0
Largest number of injuries due to one event:	58
(F2 tornado 6/8/1989)	







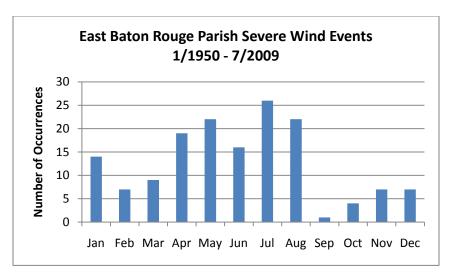
Total number of hail events:

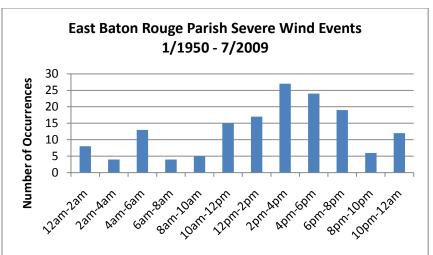
Largest hail stone in the database: 2.5 inches (4/22/2008)
Costliest hail storm in the database: N/A (no costs in database)

4/22/2008 – Scattered strong to severe thunderstorms developed across southeast LA as an upper level disturbance moved across the region. One of the severe storms produced tennis ball-sized hail (2.5 inches in diameter) in East Baton Rouge Parish near the intersection of Airline Hwy and Old Hammond Rd.

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3/31/2005 – Scattered strong to severe storms developed across SE LA. At least two severe thunderstorms produced large hail over East Baton Rouge Parish. One storm produced nickel-sized (.88 inches in diameter) hail near Pride, and another produced golf ball-sized (1.75 inches in diameter) hail in Greenwell Springs.





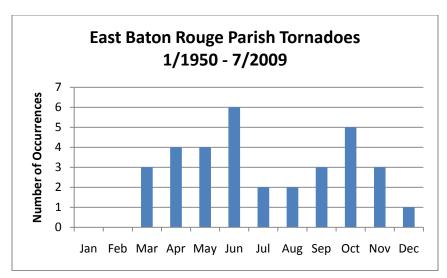
Total number of wind events: 154

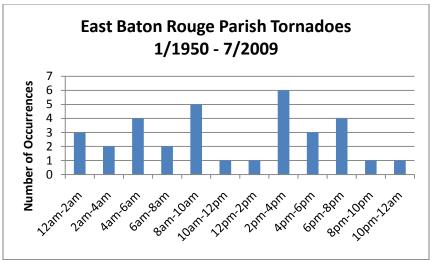
Highest wind speed in database: 75 kts (86 mph, 8/1/1959)

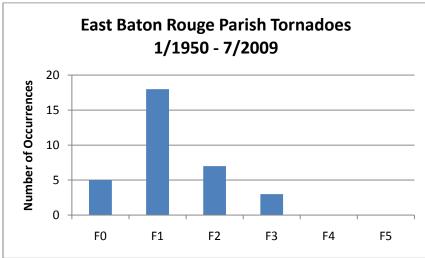
Costliest wind event in database: \$4.5M (3/26/2009)

3/26/2009 — Strong winds from a severe thunderstorm produced widespread damage in the Baton Rouge area. Numerous trees, power lines and commercial signs were blown down. One home was damaged when a tree fell on it. Additionally, significant structural damage occurred to the LSU football indoor facility. Damage at the LSU campus was estimated around four million dollars. A survey crew estimated sustained winds speeds near 80 mph.

5/27/1990 – A line of severe thunderstorms developed over north LA and MS during the afternoon and increased in both coverage and intensity as they moved southward. The storms produced widespread wind damage across SE LA and southern MS. In Baton Rouge, the thunderstorm wind gusts toppled stage equipment at an outdoor concert injuring 27 people.







Total number of tornado events:
Total number of tornado deaths:
Total number of tornado injuries
Most injuries/deaths from 1 tornado:

Costliest tornado event:

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58 (F2, 6/8/1989) \$2.5M (10/22/1991) 6/8/1989 – An intense severe thunderstorm spawned three different F2 tornadoes as it moved from west of Grosse Tete across north Baton Rouge and into St. Helena Parish. The second of these three tornadoes started near Lobdell then crossed the Mississippi River into Scotlandville on the north side of Baton Rouge. Approximately 90 houses and 35 mobile homes suffered extensive damage – mainly to roofs, siding and windows. Falling trees and large tree branches also caused damage to several houses. 58 people suffered minor injuries due to flying glass and debris. Total damage across the parish was estimated at \$2.5M.

6/8/1989 – A second severe storm spawned additional tornadoes to the southeast of the previous storm's path. As the storm moved from near the town of Plaquemine to northern Tangipahoa Parish, it produced an F1 tornado that caused substantial damage between Longwood (on the northwest side of Baton Rouge) and Denham Springs. Approximately 17 homes and 10 mobile homes were destroyed or suffered major damage. Total damage in East Baton Rouge Parish from this tornado is estimated at \$500K.